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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 CALIFORNIA EXPANDED
11 METAL PRODUCTS COMPANY,
et al.,

12 Plaintiffs,

13 v.

14 JAMES A. KLEIN, et al.,

15 Defendants.

CASE NO. C18-0659JLR

MINUTE ORDER

16 The following minute order is made by the direction of the court, the Honorable
17 James L. Robart:

18 Before the court are the parties' statements regarding the need for redaction of the
19 court's January 26, 2023 order (1/26/23 Order (Dkt. # 332)) and Special Master Mark
20 Walters's November 14, 2022 report and recommendation (R&R (Dkt. # 310)). (Pls. &
21 Defs. St. (Dkt. # 334); S4S St. (Dkt. # 333).) With respect to the report and
22 recommendation, the parties agree Mr. Walters's reference to the deposition testimony of

1 third-parties Valley Interiors and Anning Johnson, which were designated confidential,
2 should be redacted from the report and recommendation. (*See* S4S St. at 1; Pls. & Defs.
3 St. at 2.) As to the court’s January 26, 2023 order, Plaintiffs and Defendants agree that
4 the order may be filed publicly without any redactions. (*See* Pls. & Defs. St. at 2.)
5 Non-party Seal4Safti, Inc. (“S4S”),¹ however, asks the court to redact the names of
6 Non-Parties SteelTec Supply, Inc., Jaroslaw Sydry, and Leszek Orszulak from references
7 in the order to Plaintiffs’ attempt to add those parties to these contempt proceedings.
8 (S4S St. at 3 (asking, alternatively, that the court “add language to the [o]rder specifically
9 indicating that the [c]ourt rejected Plaintiffs’ attempt to add” those parties).) The court
10 declines to do so.

11 Having reviewed the parties’ responses, the court DIRECTS the Clerk to unseal
12 the court’s January 26, 2023 order (Dkt. # 332) and to maintain the seal on Mr. Walters’s
13 November 14, 2022 report and recommendation (Dkt. # 310). The court will file a
14 redacted version of Mr. Walters’s report and recommendation.

15 Filed and entered this 15th day of February, 2023.

16 RAVI SUBRAMANIAN
17 Clerk of Court

18 s/ Ashleigh Drecktrah
19 Deputy Clerk
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22 ¹ S4S is not a party to the underlying litigation, but it was added to these contempt proceedings on September 1, 2021. (*See* 9/1/21 Order (Dkt. # 251).)